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Responsive to the communication dated December 22, 2000, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Applicants respectfully request entry of the substitute paper copy and computerreadable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the instant application. Please insert the paper copy of the Sequence Listing following the Abstract on page 93 and before the Drawings. Insert the Sequence Listing beginning with page 1 and numbering consecutively thereafter.

Please amend the specification as follows:

At page 28, line 51, after "N -701" please insert --(SEQ ID NO: 17)--.

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At page 32, line 37, after "gaan" please insert -- (SEQ ID NO: 19)--.

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